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METRO PICTURES

Metro presen s a fine program at the Olympic every Wednesday, featuring a popular actress.

DOGS RUNNING WILD ARE NOT HELPING TO WIN THE WAR

Reports reach this office from all sections of Monessen telling of the awful havoc being made nightly by stray dogs which run at nights and riddle well kept gardens, many of which are almost ready to produce.

Yesterday we had a call from a prominent citizen residing on Oneida street, stating that on Tuesday night dogs had almost totally destroyed his garden on which be had put much time and expense. This band of dogs just simply dug up and destroyed green stuff and plants that were almost ready to bear, such as beans, peas, onions, radishes, beets and everything grown in a first class and well kept garden, and when the family arose the next morning the sight that met their eyes was enough to cause a preacher to say things. He on Sunday morning would have cause to pray God forgive men, but "damn those dogs."

This paper a number of times has quoted the 1917 law pertaining to licensed or unlicensed dogs which came into effect on or before the 15th day of January, and on or after that date it shall be unlawful for any person to own or keep any dog six months old or over unless such dog is licensed.

We have also cited the law and date when the destruction of useless and objectionable dogs. It seems to be the sense of some that the law infers that none but constables are supposed to kill such dogs. Constable Watts before he took sick stated he would take care of the matter just as soon as the county treasurer and commissioners assured him where his pay came from in case he detained a "licensed dog" for ten days and kept it properly, and the owner presumably was a non-property owner, and the costs could not be collected. Aside from Mr. Watts' show of willingness, no other move as this paper knows of has been made.

Section 18 of the State law of 1917 reads:

"It shall be the duty of every police officer to seize and detain any dog or dogs which bear a proper license tag, and which are found running at large and unaccompanied by its owner or keeper. It shall be the duty of every police officer to kill any dog which does not bear a proper license tag, which is found running at large. The chief of police or his agents of any city, the high constable of any borough, or the costable of any borough not having a high constable, and the constable of any incorporate town or township, shall cause any dog bearing a proper license tag, and so seized and detained to be properly kept and fed, and shall cause immediate notice, either personal or by registered mail, to be given to the person in whose name the license was procured, or his agent to claim such dog within ten days. The owner of a dog so detained shall pay all reasonable expenses incurred by reason of its detention under the provisions of this section before the dog is returned.

Trip in Liberty Car A Record Breaker

Thos. E. Lowstutter of Schoonmaker avenue, along with his family, has just returned from Camp Lee where ten days was spent with the son, William. The trip was made in the Lowstutter "Liberty Six" auto and it was a record breaker all the way, as the run was made from Monessen to Washington, D. C., in 10 hours. The entire trip—900 miles was made without a puncture or a penny's expense to the car in any way, the entire trip being made on 60 gallons of gasoline. There were five passngers in the car as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lowstutter, George and Lawrence Lowstutter and Mrs. Walter Robins.

—Men's Trousers $1.50, khaki or gray striped, $2 00 values.—A. Nayhouse, 521-525 Schoonmaker avenue. F-M fp

CONSERVE

Buy one of these suits and save time and money. You will find another saving in the better year. Newest styles in plain colors and mixtures, $15 to $30. special showing at $20, $25 and $30.—A. Nayhouse, 521-525 Schoonmaker Ave. F-M fp

—Mrs. G. F. Wright spent yesterday in Pittsburgh.

STAR THEATRE

Vaudevlle today

TODAY—"Society For Sale." By Whom? William Desmond. To whom? Gloria Swanson. More details tonight.

SATURDAY—"The Vortex." featuring Mary Warren. The serpent of jealousy sinks its fangs into the hearts of noble men and women in a thrilling drama of hate. love and suspicion. Also Episode No. 5 of Vengeance and the Woman.". The serial.

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SPECIAL

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EVERYBODY MUST EITHER GET TO WORK OR PREPARE TO GET IN THE TRENCHES

Idlers, unemployed and those of draft age not engaged in essential or useful employment, will be rounded up for military service unless they apply themselves at once to some sort of labor that will dovetail into the plans of the administration for winning the war. All such youths of draft age will either have to serve in the army or work.

The plans of the administration were announced when Provost Marshal General Crowder disclosed an amendment to the selective service law dealing with the matter of compelling men not engaged in useful occupation immediately to apply themselves to some form of labor contributing to the general good.

The new order is aimed at idle youths of draft age hanging around pool rooms and race tracks, against youths of draft age affiliated with the I. W. W. movement, with alleged slackers serving food or drink in hotels, public places and social clubs, elevator operators, door men, foot men, ushers and persons connected with games, sports and amusements.

The action just taken will be supplemented in a few days, it is understood, by a formal appeal to be made by President Wilson to the governors of the states urging them to set up machinery, similar to the Maryland anti-loafing law, by which all persons between the ages of 18 and 50 are compelled to engage in some useful employment.

During a visit of Gov. Harrington of Maryland to the White house a few days ago, the matter was discussed. The President was so interested in what the governor told him about the successful operation of the Maryland anti-loafing law that he asked the governor to send him a copy of the Maryland law and suggested a conference between Gov. Harrington and Gen. Crowder, which was held on Tuesday.

There is no Federal legislation by which persons other than those of draft age can be controlled in the matter of employment, but this can be reached through state executive and other action, as it has been done in Maryland.

Deferred classification granted on account of dependents will be disregarded entirely in applying the rule. A man may be at the bottom of Class I or even in Class IV, but if he falls within the regulation and refuses to take useful employment, he will be given a new number in Class I that will send him into the military service forwith. Local boards are authorized to use discretion only where they find that enforced change of employment would result in disproportionate hardship upon his dependents.

Secure Return Engagement

Manager McShaffrey of the Star theatre, has arranged for a return engagement of the great patriotic picture "Lest We Forget." This is the same feature that packed the Star, Tuesday, May 7, under the auspices of the American Defense society. This powerful picture was produced at an expense of $250,000, and on account of many not having been able to see it before on account of the overly crowded condition of the house, Mr. McShaffrey is bringing it back Wednesday. May 29. 1t

STRAW HATS

Sennits and Splits and Real Panamas. Special—one lot of straw hats $2.00 to $3.00 at 65c and 95c.—A. Nayhouse, 521-525 Schoonmaker avenue. F-M fp

Nice Sum Collected

The management of the Busy Bee restaurant cheerfully announces the following receipts of May 23, donated to the Red Cross fund:

Breakfast	$12.00
Luncheon	63.00
Supper	27.00
Total	$102.00

We now take the opportunity of thanking the public at large for helping us to make this contribution.

Respectfully,
Busy Bee Restaurant.

—Men's and Young Men's Suits, one or two of a kind at $13.50; all new this season; all wool strictly hand tailored, a saving of $5 to $10.—A. Nayhouse, 521-525 Schoonmaker avenue. F-M fp

Letter of Thanks Received By Loyal German Citizens

The following most encouraging letter has been received by the German Beneficial Union No. 175 of Monessen, from the office of Director of Publicity Liberty Loan of 1917 and it shows that the hearts of our good German citizens are in the right place and that as a body the local union is heartily for this country, and is determined to voluntarily support the U. S. government and the great cause of freedom she has espoused in this great war of wars. The letter follows:

Washington, May 18, 1918.

Mr. Joseph Springer,
German Beneficial Union No. 175,
224 Aliquippa St.,
Monessen, Pa.

Dear Sir:—We desire to express to you and the members of German Beneficial Union No. 175 our highest appreciation of your very liberal support of the Third Liberty Loan.

This is an irrefutable proof of patriotism and loyalty, a wise act of thrift, and indeed a noble example, well worthy to be followed by all organized bodies throughout the land.

Very truly yours.
Hans Rieg,
Chief Foreign Language Divi.

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The owner of Lots Nos. 17 and 18 of the Oak Terrace Plan, First street hill, is a subject of tuberculosis and has been in thte state sanitarium at Cresson, Pa., for eight months. He is out of money and being advised to go to Mount Alto, he will sacrifice his lots. They are level, nicely located, size 47x70x100 feet, worth $400.00 each, but will sell for the price of one. Here you have a bargain and do a great charity at the same time. Call at 564 Donner avenue at once. 100-3t fp

FIRST TENNIS GAME PLAYED LAST NIGHT

Last evening at the Essex Tennis courts, the first game of the season was played between the Essex club and the Tin mill club. A large crowd gathered around and much interest was shown throughout the game.

First set—D. Matson, Louis Rosenthal, versus A. Karnes and G. Braddock. 8-10—Tin Mill.

Second set—J Skurkay, Victor Rosenthal versus A. Karnes and G. Braddock. 2-6—Tin mill.

Third set—D. Matson, Louis Rosenthal versus A. Karnes and G. Braddock. 6-3—Essex club.

Fourth set—D. Matson, Louis Rosenthal versus A. Karnes and G Braddock. 6-4—Essex club.

Totals—Tin mill—2; Essex club,2.

The deciding sets will be played during the coming weeks, the date to be announced later.

—Men's Shoes at $3.75 of tan Russia Calf English or button and lace, good toe shapes, sizes 6 to 10.—A. Nayhouse, 521-525 Schoonmaker avenue. F-M fp

Trial Postponed

The murder trial of Pasquale Natalli which was to have come up in Greensburg yesterday, was postponed by motion of District Attorney Cort owing to inability to have an important witness present. The attorneys for the defendant objected, but the objection was overruled. Natalli is charged with the Longo murder and is out on bail.

Farewel for Soldier

Last evening a farwell party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Felger, First street, in honor of their son, Thomas, who leaves tomorrow morning with the draftees, who go on the 7:28 train to Camp Greenleaf, Georgia. The evening was one of exceptional pleasure regardless of the true solemnity of the occasion. Music and other pastimes were enjoyed. The honor guest was the recipient of many pretty, useful and highly prized gifts or remembrances coming from friends in Connellsville, Scottdale and Monessen. A dainty lunch was served and all guests tendered best wishes for success, good luck in Uncle Sam's service and safe arrival home.

Loyalty Shown

The citizens of German birth, belonging to the German Beneficial Union, residing within our borders, have again demonstrated their loyalty to their country in a substantial way by contributing $50.00 to the Second Red Cross War Fund Campaign. This comes from an organization practically all of whose members will subscribe as individuals, either through the mills or to team captains who solicit the town.

Valuable Documents

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ITALIAN DAY WILL BE BIG EVENT IN MONESSEN; PARADE AND SPEAKING

This evening when the people of the community are expected to participate in the proper observance of Italian day, it would be fitting for every home and business place to be decorated with an American and Italian flag. It will be a hard matter to get Italian flags, but in so far as possible such a decoration meets with the call of President Wilson and the mayors and burgesses of towns and cities. The parade will start at 7 o'clock and all who can should participate. The nation owes much to its ally, Italy, and when the two countries are fighting for one cause, it is well that all people of both nations should join in celebrating the third anniversary of the entrance of Italy into the war.

The local Italian people have taken the initiative and are making great arrangements for a fitting and appropriate service. After the parade, Burgess W. B. Stewart and Daniel Reamer will talk to the people who congregate at the freight station.

TAKE NOTICE

All societies and mills expecting to take part in the Memorial day parade will please report at once.

J. J. Cushing,
100-2t fp Marshall.

Ball Game Attraction Here Tomorrow

At a joint meeting of the Athletic committees of the Monessen and Charleroi High schools a couple of weeks ago, all past differences between these bodies were adjusted and the athletic difficulties for some time existing have been forgotten and herafter harmony will reign.

The ball game tomorrow at 3:30 between Monessen and Charleroi High at Page park promises to be an event of deep interest, as a large bunch of rooters always accompany each of these teams in any athletic event, particularly baseball. As this will be a good game and everybody is interested in sports, a good crowd should be on hand.

ATTENTION TURNERS

The Annual Exhibition of the Turners will be held this evening, May 24th at 8 o'clock sharp. The usual good time is assured. After the exhibition a social time will be spent. Everybody welcome. 0-2t

Man Loses Life After Working One Day in Coal Mine

A very sad accident occurred Wednesday evening, when Peter Walko of Fourteenth street, Monessen, was instantly crushed to death in a mine.

Deceased had worked in mines about Monessen but it appears he and a son decided to seek work elsewhere. They procured work at Cliff mine near McKees Rock. They began work Wednesday morning and the man was killed the same evening. At quitting time the boy started out of the mine, but missing his father went back and found him dead. It appears the older man had tarried to pick down some roof coal, which let go, entirely burying him, and when the boy got him out the body was badly mangled. The body arrived here yesterday and was buried in Grandview cemetery at 3 o'clock today. Deceased leaves a wife and seven children.

Working Hard

—Committees are at work on the Red Cross collections and are meeting with good success. The contributions of a day's wages by every employe is proving popular and will certainly put the town way over the top.

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We make a specialty of this work but if you prefer the pleasure of doing it yourself, we will sell you the the developing outfit and teach you how to use it.

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TODAY—Wm. Fox presents Wm. Farnum in "Rough and Ready."

SATURDAY—Bessie Bariscale in "Those Who Pay."

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To fit any head; all braids, in newest shapes;

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In dependable colorings and makes; latest styles and patterns in all fabrics;

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Spring Suits

In two and three piece military and conservative models for young men and older men who want to stay young;

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Spring Sox

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THE CLOSE OF THE DRIVE

The country looks forward with confidence to the final figures of the Red Cross drive. We simply must have the amount needed and we will get it. The American people never yet failed to do a thorough job of aything that they ever took hold of They took a rough wilderness and turned it into a garden. They took a rough rough wilderness and turned it into a garden They took the fever stricken stamps of Panama, turned them into a health resort, and dug a ditch that conquered engineering difficulties previously considered unsurmountable.

It will be the same with this war We will clean up this dirty business in every part. And the thing to do right now is to put over the Red Cross drive with a bang It will be folly to send over our boys, many thousands of them who will suffer dangerous wounds, without the best science to care for them We must not allow them to die of their wounds We must pick them up, give them the best medical and surgical skill, provide the most competent nursing, and the best and latest hospital equipment That takes an enormous sum of money and we must have it.

This cause should come very close to our heart. It means our own individual happiness, our success as a nation,our property as a community. The Red Cross is a vital part of the war work. No army can fight a successful war unless it cares for its wounded efficiently. There are too many wounded

None of us can afford to be niggardly in this cause. Let the man who usually gives a dollar to a charity now and then, hand over ten. Let the man who gives ten, contribute fifty. It won't hurt either of them. Some extravagances can be cut out to balance. Only in this way can we save the beloved boys who are risking their lives for our welfare. Let everyone give to the limit and then some.

HUMILIATION AND PRAYER

President Wilson has issued a proclamation asking us all to meet in our places of worship on Memorial Day for public humiliation, fasting and prayer. Let us stop our holiday making for an hour on the national Memorial Day and think on the causes of this war. Let us pray to God that every one of us may do his duty. If this spirit prevails, the issue can not be doubtful.

A great calamity is commonly a violation of the laws of right and wrong. This world war can be traced to such wrong doing. Of course as always happens, the innocent suffering with the guilty, often seemingly more than the guilty.

The war is the direct result of a selfish and materialistic spirit. The idea has been spread abroad in the world that the chief thing is material success, and that any action is justifiable to secure that ed.

This spirit has prevailed to a considerable extent in all nations. Germany is the only one that openly avows it, and practices it with thorough efficiency In so far as we have been likewise guilty, we must turn from this low standard, and take our position for truth and justice.

It is a source for the greatest hope for us as a nation that our people are doing it to a splendid extent We know we are fighting the cause of justice against the wicked and mighty and truth must prevail.

The national Memorial Day brings us plenty of inspiration for the task before us. The trials we have suffered and shall suffer were met by our fathers and mothers. They knew the same

EDITORIALETTES

The small boy begins to have his first doubts about the government of the universe when it rains on Circus Day

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Wonder what a Pacifist would say or do if he saw his daughter being deported into German slavery?

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The automobile salesman's theory of how to keep a car out of the repair shop is for you to buy a new car every year

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It is surprising how the weeds appreciate the ample supply of fertilizer you have provided for them.

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After thanking the Almighty for his help Kaiser Bill goes out and proceeds to steal a few more thousand miles of territory.

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The people who kick hardest about schools are usually the ones who make the most opposition to the school appropriation.

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It is certainly terrible for the leisure class under the anti-loafing laws, as they may have to work as much as two hours a day.

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If we are going to put 3,000,000 soldiers on the French front a lot of men have got to do some work more productive than tending peanut stands and selling chewing gum.

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Fancy Chickens, alive		10c lb.
Fancy Chickens, dressed		10c lb.
Fancy Creamery Butter, lb.		19c
Fresh Eggs, dozen		10c
Fancy Boiled Ham, lb		[illegible]5c
Blue Label Brick Cheese, lb		28c
Full Cream Cheese, lb.		2[illegible]c
New Potatoes	lb 15c	pk [illegible]5c
Heinz Sauer Kraut, lb.		5c
Heinz Tomato Soup, can		12c
Heinz Large Baked Beans, can		20c
Heinz Catsup, bottle		18c
Heinz Dil Pickles, dozen		10c
Fancy large table California Peaches, can		20c
3 lb. can baked Beans.		15c
All brands of milk, large can		12c
Fancy Bartlet Pears, can		15c
Large can Trubro peach butter jar		[illegible]0c
Large can "V" preserves, all flavors, jar		35c

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Veal Roast, lb	20c
Veal Breast, lb	16c
Veal Chops, lb	22c
Veal Steaks, lb	30c
Plate or Brisket, lb	18c
Ground Beef, lb	25c
Lamb Legs lb	35c-38c
Lamb Roasts, lb	32c
Lamb Stew, lb	25c
Sugar Cured Hams, lb	30c
Kinghan's Hams, lb	33c
Live Chickens, lb	38c
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Katsup, bottle	10c
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Veal Chops, lb	25c
Veal Roast, lb	23c
Veal Steak, lb	35c
Lamb Stew, lb	30c
Lamb Roast, lb	33c
Lamb Chops, lb	35c
Leg Lamb, lb	38c
California Hams, lb	24c
Regular Hams, lb	30c
Big Skinned Hams, lb	30c
Bacon, lb	40c
Polish Sausage, lb	15c
Home Dressed Chickens, lb	42c
Creamery Butter, lb	52c
3 pounds Oleo for	80c
1 pound Oleo for	28c
1 pound Creamo for	35c
5 pounds Oleo for	$1.65
Ring Boloney, lb	20c
Weiners, lb	23c
Head Cheese, lb	25c
Blood Cheese, lb	25c
Extra Liver Pudding, lb	25c
Home made Liver Pudding, lb	10c
Smoked Spare Ribs, lb	16c
Good Fresh Eggs, dozen	40c
All Steaks, the very best, lb	35c
7 pounds of Sour Kraut	25c
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CHILDREN'S SHOES AND LOW CUTS

Of quality representing various styles. Included are shoes made of Brown, Gray Kid, Patents and Combinations, College and Military Heels.

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$1.27—Growing girls two strap duck pumps, leather heel and sizes 11½ to 2, regular $1.50 val niversary price, **$1.27** a pair.

77c—Infants' white canvass Shoes, sizes 3 to 7, regular $1.00 anniversary price **77c.**

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During this great event is the proper time to prepare for your summer needs and especially for Decoration Day, when such values are offered.

ONLY $3.97

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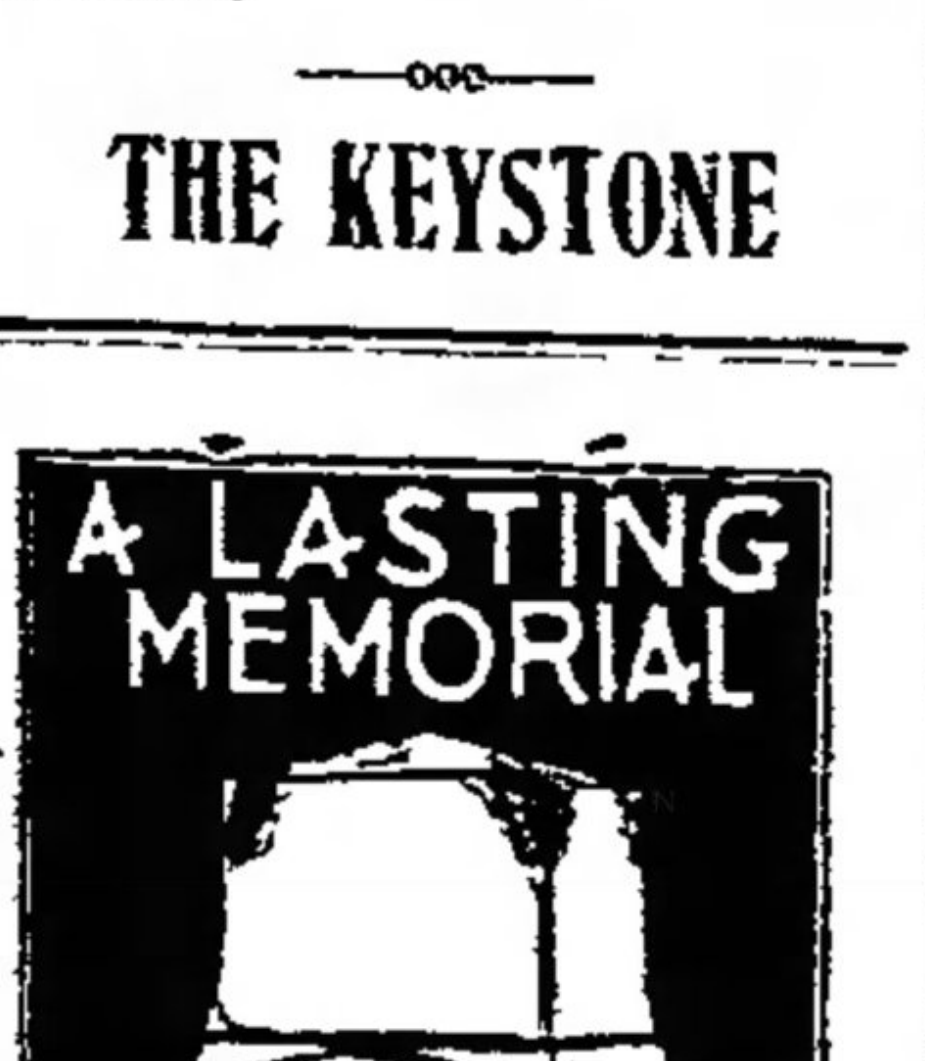

We carry a large assortment of finished Granite and Marble Monuments and invite you to visit our display room and give us an opportunity to quote you prices. Having purchased a large stock before the prices advanced we are in a position to give the best price.

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Marble and Granite Works

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SPECIAL MESSENGER SERVICE

How many times in the past few months have you found it to say

"Well, now we have had those goods on the road for 10 day they ought to be in any time now. You know it's awfully hard through these days," etc., etc.

Five minutes later that same customer may come out of place with the very articles you ordered, but didn't have

Don't let them stray. Good customers are hard to get hold More money is invested in goods—smaller margin tha time since you entered business.

Bill Pep's goods were delivered to Jos. Samuels this morn received them this afternoon. What do you say?, Just tell th —"Send 'em by Messenger.

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New Modern Furniture

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The kind that brightens up the home, giving a more homey comfortable appearance, making surroundings cheerful and ing that really substantial appearance that means so muc every member of the fmily.

No matter what you may need to replace some parlor or ing room piece that has become soiled or worn, or a few piece the bed room or kitchen, you can always find them at Mo store—the very best goods, at the right prices all the time remember the next time when you wish to make a selection, give us "The First Over." before going elsewhere.

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The Time is Here for House Decorating and Paper Hanging

A general overhauling of the home. And when you wish pr careful and professional service in correct paper hanging and decorating, you want the man to do it who knows how—who has the real, right sort of experience.

That man is

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Wall Paper Paints-Glass

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GREAT REDUCTION SALE

Of 33 per cent off on all Goods

OF ENTIRE STOCK OF

Shoes, Clothing, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings

We have Purchased the Entire Stock of ANTON KOVAL of Schoonmaker avenue and have removed same to our Store

HADDAD & ELIAS

215 SCHOONMAKER AVENUE, MONESSEN.

Where everything will be placed on sale at Reduction belo wcost to manufacture, in order to sell goods quickly as we do not have room to display the surplus stock. We bought cheap and will give the public the benefit.

READ! THINK! ACT!

Come to this sale and save money on your Shoes and Clothing. Everything is this season's goods and the Highest Class.

Sale Begins Friday, May 24th, 1918

And everything will be sold regardless of value. FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED. This is the Greatest Bargain Sale in the History of Monessen. Surely you will not miss it.

MEN'S DRESS SHOES

Men's $10 Dress Shoes	$8.50
Men's $8.50 Dress Shoes	$6.50
Men's $6.50 Shoes	$4.50
Men's $4.50 Shoes	$3.25

MEN'S WORKING SHOES

Men's $6.00 Shoes for	$4.75
$6.50 Shoes for	$4.50
$4.50 Shoes for	$3.50

LADIES' SHOES

$12.00 Shoes for	$10.50
$10.50 Shoes for	$9.00
$9.00 Shoes for	$7.50
$7.50 Shoes for	$6.00
$6.00 Shoes for	$4.50
$4.50 Shoes for	$2.95

BOYS' SHOES

$4.00 Shoes for	$3.25
$3.75 Shoes for	$3.00
$3.00 Shoes for	$1.98
$2.00 Shoes for	$1.50

MISSES' SHOES

$5.00 Shoes for	$4.50
$4.50 Shoes for	$3.75
$3.75 Shoes for	$2.50
$2.50 Shoes for	$1.75

MEN'S SUITS

Latest Spring styles at reductions of from 25 to 35 per cent.

Ladies' Suits, Coats, Skirts, Waists, Millinery, Corsets, Underwear, Gloves, Hosiery, etc., a large up to date line at prices that will convince you this is the biggest bargain event on record.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

$1.50 Underwear	$1.19
$1.00 Underwear	85c
85c Underwear	69c
$3.00 Union Suits	$2.50
$2.25 Union Suits	$1.75
$2.50 Union Suits	$2.00
$3.00 Union Suits	$1.50
$1.50 Union Suits	$1.00

We have a nice line of Boys' Union Suits at Low Prices.

Every Lady should see our big line of Suits, Dresses and Skirts... Also big line of Children's Clothing. Bring the While family to be Outfitted.

SPECIAL IN LADIES' WAISTS

Fine Lingerie and Voile, Crepe de Chene and Georgette

$9.00 Waists for	$7.50
$7.50 Waists for	$6.25
$6.50 Waists for	$5.75
$6.00 Waists for	$5.00
$5.00 Waists for	$3.50
$3.50 Waists for	$2.75
$2.00 Waists for	$1.25

HOSIERY SPECIAL

$2.50 Ladies' fine Hose	$1.75
$2.00 Ladies' fine Hose	$1.25
$1.25 Ladies' Fine Hose	75c
85c Ladies' fine Hose	69c
50c Ladies' fine Hose	39c
30c Ladies' fine Hose	20c

MEN'S SOCKS

$1.00 Socks at	79c
60c Socks at	49c
30c Socks at	19c

New wash Goods—Percale, Ginghams, Muslins, Silks, etc., included in this **REDUCTION SALE**

REMEMBER THE PLACE

HADDAD & ELIAS

215 SCHOONMAKER AVENUE MONESSEN, PA.

SALE WILL CONTINUE THREE WEEKS

Out of No Man's Land

By
HARRY IRVING GREENE

Father:

This wonderful letter that I am writing you—a miracle letter. I was hurt, badly, but I am going to get well. It happened like this—you know I am not allowed to name place or date.

No Man's Land! We were raiding it by night, three of us—scouting, prowling. It was as dark as the dungeons of inferno, but often they sent up signal shells—roseate, bursting things that bathed all that evil land in a blood-red light. When their glare flared over us we had to stand as we were caught, hand or foot upraised—moveless objects in the red glow until the light snuffed out and all was dark once more.

We reached the German entanglements and began cutting them with our oiled clippers. We were careful, very careful, but we were not careful enough. They heard us. Over came two bombs.

The three of us went down in a row. Jack and Tom never knew what hit them. I was hurt too badly to be able to get up.

I lay there—all night—groaning—calling for help. Twenty feet away I could hear the boches in their trench laughing at me, cursing me.

Morning! My last. I could endure it no more. I was dying—bleeding. I said my last prayer.

And then!

Since the dawn of time I do not believe the world has seen a more glorious thing. From the hill tops our artillery laid down a box barrage fire and under it, heads raised like emperors and shoulders squared, came six men, stretcher bearers. As though they had been on parade they came forth in broad daylight into the very teeth of the enemy and picked up what was left of Jack, Tom and me.

As though we had been their own brothers they bore us back, swiftly, gently. Then do you know what those Huns did?

Opened fire on us—the dead, the bearers of the dead and a man who lay quivering at the threshold of death.

Two of the six bearers went down. The other four brought them back along with what was left of Jack, Tom and me.

And when I awoke in the hospital after the operation, deathly sick but back from the nightmare-land and with the sunlight upon me, whom do you think I saw bending over me, the red cross upon her sleeve, babbling, laughing, crying, kissing me?

JANE!

And I had never known that she had come over! Had never got her letter.

And we are here together and I am going to get well. An hour ago she held out her hand, and upon one finger was still the little ring I gave her before I left. I am going to have a stone set in it—you know what that means. Though somewhat disfigured I am still in the ring.

And so is Jane. JIM.

Man Postpones His Funeral

"I am 66 years old and for the past two years have been suffering so badly from stomach and liver trouble, bloating and colic attacks that I did not expect to live more than a few months and was arranging my affairs and even my funeral. Three doses of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy have entirely cured me." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.—Craig's drug store. Monessen, Pa. adv.

General Cleaning

ANY PERSON WISHING CLEANING DONE, CAN PHONE ME AT MY HOME ANY TIME After 12 O'CLOCK NOON AND THE BUSINESS WILL BE GIVEN PROMPT ATTENTION.

Alex Pangburn
Phone 133-R

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for all kinds of painting, interior finishing, scenic work, decoration, pictures and picture frames, enlarging, theatrical scenery, etc.

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SHOE SHOP

The place to get good work while you wait.

We do all kinds of shoe work, nothing too fine or nothing too course. We adapt ourselves to conditions and our aim and pleasure is to please the people who give us their patronage.

Be sure and bring your shoes to the "Shoe Hospital" when they are sick.

C. PARNELLA

We Guarantee Satisfaction on All Our Work

KEEP YOUR SHOES NEAT

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WHITE LIQUID **White Shoe Dressing** WHITE CAKE

FOR MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S SHOES

The F. F. DALLEY CORPORATIONS, LIMITED, BUFFALO, N. Y.

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NO MATTER WHAT SERVICE YOU NEED YOU'LL ALWAYS FIND IT RIGHT THERE IN A FORD

WE ARE NOW FULLY ESTABLISHED IN OUR NEW QUARTERS, IN THE TODD BUILDING, WHERE FORD CARS OF EVERY PATTERN AND DESIGN ARE CARRIED WITH ALL ACCESSORIES, AND IF WE HAVE NOT THE CAR TO SUIT YOU WE CAN GET IT WITHIN A VERY SHORT TIME. WE OCCUPY THREE FLOORS. OUR REPAIR ROOM IS IN THE BASEMENT, SHOW ROOM ON FIRST FLOOR AND STOCK ROOM ON THIRD FLOOR.

DON'T FORGET WHERE WE ARE.

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R. T. DALE, Proprietor.

Donner Avenue and River Street. Monessen, Pa.

Good Pictures of Loved Ones

ARE A TREASURE IN YEARS TO COME

We have due appreciation of what our patrons desire in selecting pictures of themselves or of their friends. The Photograph of today becomes the treasured keep sake of relatives and dear ones in years to come. Hence it is your duty and our duty to have the best—the kind that keep their color for many years, and never fade out. That's the kind we always furnish our patrons. So come to us next time.

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KYLE GARAGE Distributors

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Proprietors

Bell Phone 335 Belle Vernon Pa.

NOTICE TO PATRONS

We have moved our plumbing shop to 372 Donner avenue, the room formerly occupied by the Central Electric company.

We have added a line of Electrical Supplies, Chandeliers, Lamps and everything essential to a proper conduct of this business. It will be carried on in addition to our plumbing business.

When you want anything in the plumbing or Electric line give us a call.

J. L. RODGERS

PLUMBING & ELECTRIC CO.

372 Donner Avenue, Monessen, Pa.

Bell Phone 321-W. Slip Covers a Specialty.

I. ROSEN'S GREATER REPAIR SHOP

Upholsterer and Draper

Repairing and repolishing, also packing of all kinds of furniture.

Also repairing and covering of umbrellas and parasols.

Expert locksmith, key fitter and gunsmith.

ALL WORK GUARANTEED

Schoonmaker Ave. & Fifth St. Monessen, Pa.

We buy and sell new and second hand furniture.

Ladies and Gentlemen

CLEAN YOUR HATS AND SAVE MONEY

BUY WAR SAVING STAMPS and HELP the GOVERNMENT

STRAW HAT SEASON IS ON.

But you need not worry about getting a new hat. If you have any old hats, bring them to us and we will make them look new. We dye and color all straw hats any color you desire.

IN SHOE SHINING WE EXCEL.

We also dye and clean shoes. We carry a full line of all kinds of Shoe Laces and Polishes.

Give us a trial and we will prove what we say. All work on hats and shoes guaranteed.

Union Shoe Shine and Hat Cleaning Parlors

401 Donner Avenue. - - - - MONESSEN, PENNA.

Opposite Kirk's Drug Store.

PROMPT SERVICE AND CORTEOUS TREATMENT

Goes a long way when a person's patience is sorely tried by the trials and hardships attendant upon moving, either from one house to another, right in town, or moving from one town to another. Under such conditions, one desires

THE BEST AND MOST CAREFUL TRANSFER MEN

You will always find Marple Bros., right there with the goods in courtesy, service and with the equipment suitable to do your work just as you would have it done, and with the best care and judgment. So don't forget to call them when you need their services.

A. MARPLE & CO.

Donner Ave. Phone 507 Monessen, Pa.

Hats Cleaned Promptly and Just Right

Hat cleaning is one of our specialties, and we take much pride in doing our work as it should be done, and in having our patrons feel satisfied. All kinds of Straws—Ladies' or Gentlemen's—Cleaned to look like new.

We also specialize in

SHOE SHINING

We guarantee all our work, and aside from waiting on all transcient trade promptly as it comes, we specialize in cleaning & polishing ladies' or gentlemen's shoes, when brought to us, and deliver them when wanted. We solicit your patronage.

American Shoe Shine Parlor

Next to the People's Bank and Philadelphia Candy Kitchen.

556 Donner Ave.

Yes, We Do Job Work.

Business Promptly Attended to

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ALFRED TANZER, Manager.

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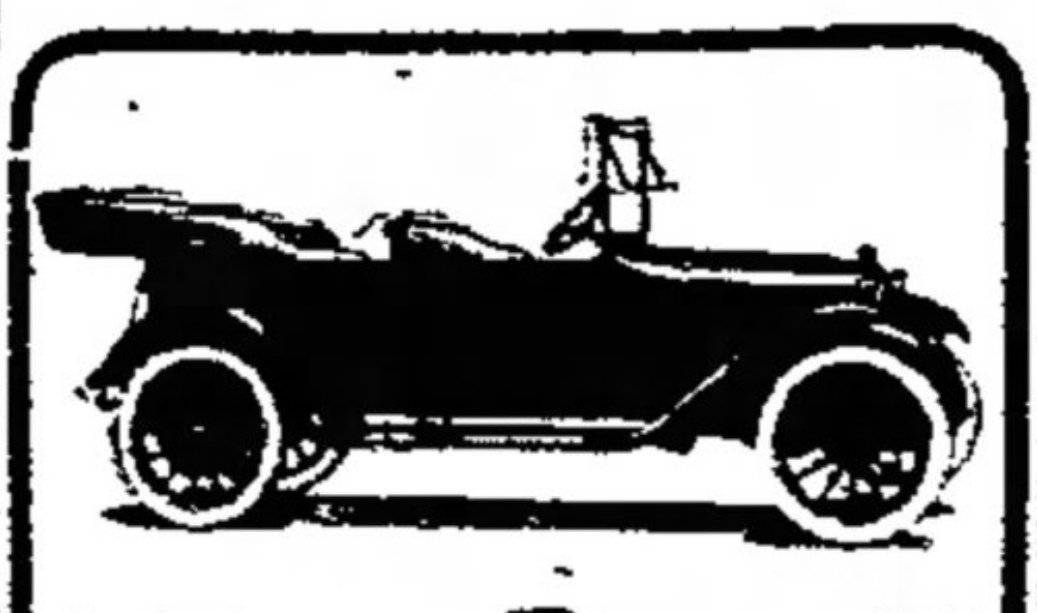
Day and Night Service.

Phone 65. Finleyville, Pa.

BATTERIES CHARGED.

E. E. WILSON, Manager



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MOTOR TRUCKS

Chassis Prices

Model 6..¾ Ton Capacity..$ 750
Model 8..1 Ton Capacity..$1295
Model 9..1½ Ton Capacity..$1695
Model 7....2 Ton Capacity..$2195

R. M. Ridgely

Belle phone 76-W

Donora, Pa.

Heart

Attacks come when least expected. Directly some ill feeling makes you aware that you have a Heart is the time to commence taking some treatment.

Dr. Miles Heart Treatment

is a Tonic and Regulator recommended in Functional Heart Disorders.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS

MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

Oriental Statecraft.

The part which gesture plays in Oriental drama is set forth in a recent Hindu volume, which says that there is a fitting gesture to represent every emotion. The gesture, in fact, is described as deaf-and-dumb alphabet of the soul. There are nine movements of the head, corresponding to nine emotions, mentioned by one authority, 24 by another; 28 movements of the single hands, and 24 or 26 of the double hands, etc.; also "hands" denoting animals, trees, oceans, and other things. For example, a certain position of the hands denotes a certain emperor, caste, or planet. The translator says rather naively that only a cultivated audience can appreciate Indian "actor's art."

Red Cross Shoe

GOLDBERG'S

We are now showing the largest line of

Oxfords and Pumps

in this valley.

Priced at $4.00, $5.00, $6.00, $7.00. Be sure to see them.

GOLDBERG'S

"Better Shoes"

517 Donner Ave. Monessen.

BELL-ANS

Absolutely Removes Indigestion. Druggists refund money if it fails. 25c

SEE OUR NEW SPRING SUITS

for they are certainly dandies this year. Here and there you may find better, but such cases are rare. Styles of the hour for the man of today, no back numbers among them. Sturdy clothes, whose patterns and colorings won't offend good taste, $15 to $35 with many fair prices between.

Sbrocco, Cuddy & Co.,
INC.
The Store that treats you all Alike.
Cor. 3rd & Schoonmaker Ave.
Bell Phone 36-M. Monessen, Pa.

Firemen's First Drill

—Members of the Monessen Volunteer fire company went through their first drill last night at Page park, preparatory to the Memorial Day parade. There was a good turnout and the drill was very encouraging, considering it was the first evening's work under the guidance of Instructor W. F. Shaffer.

LOCAL NOTES

—J. C. F. Motz was a caller in Monongahela yesterday.

—Miss Della Southern is a Pittsburg shopper today.

—Watson Johns transacted business in Pittsburgh today.

—Roger Richards was a Pittsburgh business caller yesterday.

—Miss Edyth Blair of McKeesport, is spending the day in town.

—John Turner was down from Pricedale this morning on business.

—Grant Miller left this morning for Warren, Ohio, where he has accepted a position.

—Mrs. J. J. Kunig and daughter Freda were Pittsburgh shoppers yesterday.

—Stella Byers has returned from California where she spent the past week with friends.

—Boys Scout Shoes, black or tan, with raw hide soles, 9 to 12, at $1.39, 12 to 2 at $1.65.—A. Nayhouse, 521-525 Schoonmaker avenue. F-M

—E. Jeffries and family motored to Pittsburgh yesterday where they visited with friends.

—Mrs. B. Harencame and Mrs. T. Kessler visited yesterday with friends in West Newton.

—A full assortment of tennis oxfords and shoes for men, women, boys and girls.—A. Nayhouse, 521-525 Schoonmaker Ave. F-M

—Mrs. Fritz Loigheber left yesterday for Ohio where she will spend some time with friends.

—Misses $2.50 white canvass button Shoes, round toe, sizes 11½ to 2, special at $1.65.—A. Nayhouse, 521-525 Schoonmaker Ave. F-M

—Simon Fohl and Elliot Moore of Circleville, Ohio, have returned home after visiting Christ Fohl in Monessen.

—The Mon-Bel-Char club was very pleasantly entertained last evening by Miss Maud Kibler at her home in Lock Four.

—The Oak Terrace lots are in the Borough of Monessen on First street hill and the nicest and cheapest lots in town. Prices run from $275 to $500.—Ask Frank Bumer. 97-tf

—Officer F. L. Watts, who has been a very sick man, is reported somewhat improved. The dog law is awaiting the recovery of the officer for enforcement.

—The first of the coming week I. Mayer will remove his jewelry store from the Daumit building to the rom formerly occupied by Ralph Veschio as a confectionery.

—We have added a line of electric Supplies to our plumbing business and we want your trade. We will give the best there is in the market and do you a good job. J. L. Rodgers company, 372 Donner avenue. 81-tf

—T. McClintock and daughter have returned to their home in Collinsville after a visit with the former's daughter, Mrs. B. Harencame of Reed avenue.

—Girl's Strap Pumps, fine quality, Sea Island duck, goodyear welt, oak soles. 6 to 8 at $1.50; 8½ to 11 at $1.75; 11½ to 2 at $2.00.—A. Nayhouse, 521-525 Schoonmaker avenue. F-M

—Elizabeth and Marion Hiskey, Marie Bumer, Sarita Hassel, Edythe Albrecht, Amelia Pehl, Harry Dregalla, Frank Bumer, Leonard Morgan, Christian Albrecht, and Wm. Sauers motored to Elizabeth last night and had dinner at the Saratoga Cafe. Miss Amelda Ankney acted as chaperon.

—The May musicale at the Christian church last night for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid, is reported quite successful as to receipts and the attendance. An attractive program had been arranged and each number was appreciated by those present.

—The employes of the Pittsburgh Steel Products company are staging a minstrel show at Belle Vernon which promises to be a wonderful success. The receipts so far have netted $1300 and the end is not yet. This money will be turned over to the Y. M. C. A. war fund after the cost of production has been deducted.

Footwear

For Memorial Day

Ladies' Black, Brown and White Oxfords and Pumps. Grey and Field Mouse color Shoes and the new three eyelet "pump-oxford" of J. & T. Cousins, in the new grey, the prettiest shown this season.

Men's Shoes and Oxfords in black and brown, all styles, also the wide toe oxfords in black and brown vici kid.

"Don't forget the children." We have a complete line of black and white pumps and slippers.

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HOOPER & LONG
LEADERS IN FINE SHOES
508 Donner Ave.
Monessen, Pa.

Suits Reduced=A Straightening of Stocks

It is not necessary to enlarge upon the importance of this stocks adjustments, because it is one of our regular scheduled events about each time this season and as such is known to many as an opportunity to save. By grouping the lines we are able to offer much more satisfactory selection and by reducing the prices so much, we offer this unusual opportunity to participate in the advantages of the straightening of our suit stocks.

Descriptive brevities of some of the offers follow:

GOING ON SALE SATURDAY MORNING.

Women's $25 Suits in Serges and Poplins, Saturday morning at **$19.00.**
Women's $30.00 and $35.00 Suits in Poplin, Gaberdines and Serges.
Women's $40 Suits in Serges, Poplins, etc., Saturday morning sale **$33.00.**

SUMMER DAY FROCKS OF MUCH CHARM

While there is nothing ultra, nor extremely elaborate about these summer frocks, they are nevertheless gloriously charming models.

Color has something to do with this, for colors—peach, grey, bieg, light blue, flesh, canary and other yellows, rose pink and flesh—will be favored this season.

Then the color combinations possible have no end and designers are taking full advantage of this opportunity to present models and colors changeable as the kaleidoscope.

Wonderful line of ginghams in plaids and stripes, **$4, $4.50, $5 & $5.50, is the price.**

Summer Faulards, Taffetas, Georgette crepes, Crepe de Chine; Dresses just right in style and designs; price range **$16.50, $18.00, $20.00, $25.00 and $30.00.**

Parasols Invite Early Inspection

You are invited to see the fashions in parasols for the summer—smarter, more colorful, prettier than ever. As usual, we will present the subject of parasols fully—from the simplest to the distinguished examples for the very formal outdoor occasions of the coming months.

Present Day Cretonnes Are Very Beautiful

The advancement in the art of fabric printing and the widespread demand for refined and appropriate designs is clearly demonstrated in the beautiful cretonnes for summer, 1918. No more do people even think of having bare windows and doorways, the very blankness and bareness of which is mentally oppressing in the hot weather, but now we see bright and pleasing colors, ranging through all the shades and tones and combinations of the trees, the grass, and the flowers.

Every home lover should visit among the cretonnes, for nothing begins to give so much charm and character to the home for summer. And prices are very moderate, **25c, 35c, 50c, 75c & $1.**

Give a Day's Earnings to the Red Cross

An Important Skirt Season

Smart new models are comin in continually, the notable skir style feature is that skirts are bein made on narrow lines, mostly les than 1¾ yards at the hem and fron 1¾ to 2 yards. The skirts now ar riving are pique, linen, cordeline an gabardine in white and stripes.

WHITE SKIRTS

Just in and the new smar styles are beauties; Weaves, ga berdine, waffle, cloth and poplin Prices range **$1.50, $2.50, $3.5 $4.50 and $5.00.**

White Wash Satin Skirts, a **$5.00 and $7.00.**

One lot of white corduro Skirts at **ONE HALF PRICE.**

A·R·NEY Co
MONESSEN-PENN·

Receipts From Busy Bee

To the Busy Bee restaurant must go the palm for open handed generosity. Yesterday the entire receipts from 8 o'clock in the morning until 8 o'clock in the evening were collected by the Mrs. Andrew J. White for the second Red Cross War Fund, and have been turned in to the local chapter.

Proprietors Poulos and Sarvis prepared an extra menu for the occasion which was served in connection with the regular menu, and a number of people availed themselves of the special Red Cross combination dinner.

The receipts aggregated $102.00

West Newton Parade

About 100 Monessen people were at West Newton last night to witness the big Red Cross parade and help swell the crowd. The parade was one of the largest ever seen in West Newton, being participated in by all patriotic organizations and institutions, along with town officials, Red Cross managers and workers and school children.

Prominent in the line were the orders and civilian Italians, Greeks Polish and Slavish, who carried the American flag and patriotically worded banners. There were bands and lots of patriotic music. There were two excellent addresses made along the right line, both being heartily appreciated by the large patriotic and enthusiastic audience. West Newton is doing her share in the Red Cross drive.

BESSIE BARRISCALE IN "THOSE WHO PAY."
Olympic theatre Tomorrow.

Want Column

WANTED—Girl for general office work; apply M, Daily Independent. 99tf

WANTED—Firemen, steady work, good wages. Tri Cities Water Co., Charleroi, Pa. 93-tf

WANTED—Milk and cream, good prices; apply Velvet Ice Cream Co., Monongahela, Pa. 79-tf

WANTED—Experienced shoe girl, apply M. J. Goldberg's shoe store, Donner avenue. 98-3t

LOST—Bunch of keys between Fifth street and Sixth and McKee avenue. 100-3t

FOR SALE—Lion 40 horse power automobile in good condition, sacrifice; apply No. 2 McKee. 100-3t

WANTED—Porter at Fifth Ave. hotel. 100-3t

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1917, new top, new tires, just overhauled, $350.; call 312 or 780. 97-6tp

WAREHOUSE MEN at good wages: Potter McCune Co. 98-3tp

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping; 511 Donner. 98-3tp

FOR SALE—Brown reed baby carriage in good condition; 185 Oneida, phone 204-R. 98-3tp

FOR SALE—Six chairs, sideboard and table; also room for rent; apply 131 Reed avenue. 99-3tp

FOUND—On the Fayette City road on May 16, a motorcycle; owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. Samuel Harris on the hill, Belle Vernon. 1tp

WANTED—Driver at American Express Co. 101-6tp

BOYS' SUITS

Nebby Norfolks, strongly made and prices right, sizes 6 to 18 years, $3.50 to $12.00.—A. Nayhouse, 521-525 Schoonmaker Ave. F-M

ROYAL WORCESTER CORSETS

Low Top Model

For average figure many prefer a lo top model with scarcely any height or co set above the waist. This model, whil low, does not press inward around the to because of the outward freedom. Doubl rustless boning with hip free. In Pink o White Broch. Sizes 19 to 27. Price

$2.25

GORMAN'S
404 Donner Avenue,
Monessen, Pa.

Cemmittee Makes Report

The Educational committee of the Board of Trade, which had in charge the last season's lecture and entertainment course at the High school auditorium, makes the following report.

Receipts

Total receipts for tickets	$688.60

Expenditures

To Redpath Bureau, for attractions furnished	$500.00
Printing and advertising	38.00
Freight	3.74
Janitor's services	2.50
	$644.34

This leaves a balance or profit for the season of $44.26, which will be turned over to the library fund of the schools, the committee having voted to contribute the net profit to that purpose.

G. H. Thomas, Chairman.
A. W. Blackburn, Treasurer.

Over the Top

—The school teachers of the Jefferson and McKinley schools subscribed each a day's wages to the second Red Cross fund, and both schools have been listed among the 100% institutions of the town.

...Now For...
STRAWS
...and...
PANAMAS

We have them in all Styles and Quality

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